

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

Amend the Abstract as follows:

--ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

~~Drilling~~ In a drilling method for creating a channel leading from surrounding soil into a shaft which is separated from the soil by a wall, ~~said method comprising the following steps: drilling~~ a channel is drilled through the soil from a starting pit in the direction of the shaft using a first drill head[[,]]. ~~drilling through the wall in this direction with the~~ The first drill head continues to drill in this direction in order to create a breach in the wall, ~~and changing from the first drill head to a second drill head~~ is then used in the shaft[[, widening]] to widen the breach in the wall by drilling in the opposite direction with the second drill head.--.

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